

THE PROBLEM OF 1907.



IMPORTANT NEWS

Revised Hourly for Busy Readers.

WASHINGTON.

JARS SEE OUR SUBMARINES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Japan's officers assumed an inspection visit at the Navy Yard, Washington, today, for the purpose of inspecting the United States' submarines, which were being completed there.

REACH TARIFF AGREEMENT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The State Department has received word that the tariff commission set in Germany has reached an agreement with the government.

TO PAY MORE AT NAVY YARDS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Secretary of the Navy Messers expects to announce a substantial increase in pay to the navy yard employees, including those at the Washington Navy Yard.

WIRE MEN TO HAVE PASSES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The telephone company has decided that it will have the telephone men at the Navy Yard have passes to the yard.

OPPOSES NEW HUB STATION.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Comptroller General Sargent opposes the plan to have the immigration station at the Navy Yard.

SHAW IN DOUBT ABOUT STORE.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Secretary of the Navy Messers is in doubt about the store at the Navy Yard.

REFUSE SUNDAY DELIVERY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The post-office department has decided that it will not have Sunday delivery of mail.

INDUSTRIAL.

MAINE ROADS PROSPER.

AUGUSTA, Me., Dec. 28.—The railroad roads of Maine were prosperous last year, and the year ending December 31st is expected to be even more so.

SELL 16,993,602 SHOES.

BOSTON, Dec. 28.—The shoe industry has sold 16,993,602 shoes in the year ending December 31st.

THE WAR ON GRAFT.

TO SUE FOR \$360,000.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The United States government has filed a suit in the federal court in New York for \$360,000 against the city of New York.

ST. PAUL INJUNCTION JAN. 3.

ST. PAUL, Dec. 28.—The petition to have the Northern Pacific railroad nationalized was granted by the federal court in St. Paul.

PICK M'CREA AS SUCCESSOR OF CASSATT.

Pennsylvania Vice-President Likely to Be Promoted to Head of American Lined.

SHIP IN DISTRESS OFF ENGLISH COAST.

FEAR LOSS OF LIFE

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Panic was caused by the unknown vessel reported in distress off the English coast.

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PROMINENT PERSONS.

RONI'S ELECTION VALID.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—The Chamber of Deputies has decided that the election of Roni is valid.

DENIES PHILIPPINE VISIT.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—President Roosevelt denies that he has visited the Philippines.

PROCTOR HUNTS DUCK.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Senator Proctor of Vermont has gone to the Cape Cod to hunt ducks.

MILLIONAIRE BREWER ILL.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 28.—Adolphus Busch, millionaire brewer, is ill at his home with pneumonia.

LABOR.

TO END FIREMEN'S STRIKE.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—The firemen's strike is expected to end by the end of the week.

CARMEN GET RAISE.

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Dec. 28.—The Carmen get a raise of 5 per cent.

MARINE.

SHIP AND CREW LOST.

YORK, Dec. 28.—The Spanish ship and crew were lost.

RELIGIOUS.

TRANSFER VERMONT PRIEST.

VERMONT, Dec. 28.—The Vermont priest has been transferred.

URGE EXCHANGE BANK.

SAVE TO THE SHAMMOUNT.

DIRECTORS TAKE FIRST STEP TOWARD MERGER—OFFERED \$192 A SHARE.

The first step in the purchase of the Exchange National Bank of New York City by the National Bank of Commerce is the taking over of the Exchange Bank by the National Bank of Commerce.

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FOREIGN.

AMBASSADOR GIVES MEDAL.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 28.—The ambassador has given a medal to the Russian.

MEYER ENDS PRINCE VISIT.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 28.—Prince Meyer has ended his visit to the Russian.

WILL STAY IN WASHINGTON.

VIENNA, Dec. 28.—The Russian ambassador will stay in Washington.

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DEATH AND PANIC AS BIG ERYBON SINKS

TUGS RESCUE A SCORE AFTER COLLISION IN A DENSE FOG IN NORTH RIVER.

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—One life is known to have been lost and it is believed several others have perished by the ramming and sinking in a dense fog in the Hudson River today of the Erie ferry, the Erybon.

Fifty passengers and a crew of ten men, in the midst of indescribable panic, managed to scramble into the Erybon's small boats, although a number were doing into the water. Eighteen horses were drowned.

The tremendous crash of the colliding at 10:15 a. m. was heard by the Erybon, which was at full speed and sailing a course toward the Erybon.

The Erybon was rammed while on her regular trip from the foot of Fulton street to the foot of West Twenty-third street.

The Erybon and the Erybon were both carrying a full load of passengers and horses.

No warning of crash.

In the darkness and fog over the river the passengers had but little warning of the fearful collision. The Erybon was approaching from the north, and the Erybon was approaching from the south.

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I Wonder if the New Year will bring any better luck.

—Father Boston.

16 BULLDOZERS IN THE RIVER

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Sixteen persons were killed and over thirty injured in a collision yesterday at Abchurch, on the North British railway, between Edinburgh and Aberdeen.

The collision occurred at 10:15 a. m. when a train from Edinburgh was approaching a train from Aberdeen.

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KNOX B. & A. SEWIS IS DEAD, SAYS R. R. BYARD

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HALLIE RIVES POET'S BRIDE

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SPRING-GUN TRAP MAN HELD

Special to the Boston American.

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YOUNG MEIKLE BREAKING DOWN UNDER PRISON LIFE

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COULDS TO LIVE GIRL'S DEATH MYSTERY

Police Want Man and Woman Believed to Know Something of West End Tragedy

HOW BODY GOT TO HOSPITAL YARD A PUZZLE

Medical Examiner's Report Fails to Show When Girl's Leg Was Broken.

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She also spoke of the two coming to Boston on a boat and that she had seen them in the West End. She said that she had seen them in the West End and that she had seen them in the West End.

Points toward crime. The broken bones of the girl's leg are the only evidence of a fall. The police are looking for the man and woman who carried her to the hospital.

Find her clothing. The officers found that the woman's clothing had been partially torn off and she was alone in the room. They are looking for the man and woman who carried her to the hospital.

Former military commander assassinated by band of workmen. The police are looking for the man and woman who carried her to the hospital.



Photo-diagram showing how and where body of girl was found in hospital yard.

FROM HIS HOUSE FACING THE HOSPITAL GROUNDS LEWIS H. BLAIR SAW THE BODY OF THE GIRL IN THE SNOW. THE SNOW OF THE NIGHT BEFORE HAD WIPED OUT ALL OLD TRACKS AND HE SAW THE NEW TRACKS IN THE SNOW LEADING FROM THE WINDOW OF THE HOUSE AT NO. 36 BLOSSOM ST. AND HINDING ABOUT IN A CIRCLE WHERE THE GIRL'S BODY WAS FOUND.

TWO SUSPECTS HELD FOR FIRE AND BURGLARY

Treasure of Dover, N. H., Business Knocked Unconscious in Brutal Attack.

NEW HAVEN, Dec. 25.—A reported case of conspiracy in an attack, robbery and fire at the hoteling plant of Fiske & Co., at Dover, N. H., in which Treasurer Charles A. Goldwater was knocked unconscious by a blow or blows, relieved of his cash and \$25,000 in bonds, and a \$100,000 safe destroyed in a \$100,000 loss. The safe, valued at \$100,000, was destroyed in a fire which broke out in the building on the night of Dec. 24. The fire was caused by a gas leak in the boiler room. The fire was caused by a gas leak in the boiler room.

LOCKED UP 21,000 REEL, CIGAR VAR POLAND

FORMER MILITARY COMMANDER ASSASSINATED BY BAND OF WORKMEN.

LODZ, Poland, Dec. 25.—A state of 21,000 factory employees in this city as the result of violent socialist agitation among the workmen. The police are looking for the man and woman who carried her to the hospital.

HALE EVERY SUNDAY LAW VIOLATOR INTO COURT

—COMMISSIONER O'MEARA.

Police Head Peremptorily Order Vigorous Enforcement of Old Statute. Police Superintendent Prior today issued a statement regarding the enforcement of the Sunday law.

SEEK RELATIVES OF DEAD MAN

Superintendent William H. Prior of the Boston Police Department today issued a statement regarding the search for relatives of a dead man.

Effect of "Blue Laws" Being Enforced Again. To-morrow it will be legal, among other things, to go to the theatre or to the races.

SCOLLARD TO ROUND UP TAXES

The collector of taxes, Mr. Scollard, is looking for the man and woman who carried her to the hospital.

Another Mohawk. This is a public opportunity for the sale of Mohawk cigarettes.

LANDLADY TELLS ABOUT MISSING NOW MISSING

Mrs. Ellen Brown, landlady at No. 20 Thimons street, the house adjoining the Massachusetts General Hospital, today said:

At 6 o'clock this morning two men who said they were police inspectors came to the house and demanded admittance. I let them in.

THOUGHT HIS GIRL SAFE WITH SISTER

Harry W. Murray, father of Nellie Murray, whose mysterious death in the West End has stirred the police department to investigation, said to a BOSTON AMERICAN reporter:

"Yes, I say little Nellie that died in the West End. I had no idea that she was in the West End. I thought she was safe with her sister in the West End."

HARRIS CHANGED HIS MIND IN PAGE CASE

It will doubtless be recalled by the readers of the BOSTON AMERICAN that the late Francis A. Harris, the medical examiner who performed the autopsy on Nellie Murray, had declared that she had died of natural causes.

But he has now changed his mind. He has now declared that she had died of natural causes. He has now declared that she had died of natural causes.

CONTRACTOR ASKS FOR PERMISSION TO WORK ON SUNDAY

Contractor Fallon, who has the contract for the reconstruction of the old city hall, today asked for permission to work on Sunday.

Moran Glad O'Meara is now "no longer opposed to us". The police department is now "no longer opposed to us".

RECOVERY FROM pneumonia is usually a matter of proper nourishment.

The weakened, wasted body needs a strengthening food more than anything else in the world. Scott's Emulsion gets right into the blood of the convalescent and builds up the wasted tissues by nourishing them with cod liver oil, the most strengthening of known foods.

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COAL BARONS BOOST PRICE

Boston coal dealers announced yesterday that, with the exception of Eastern Lackawanna, they will raise their prices on coal the public pay twenty-five cents more.

LOST A BOTTLEFUL OF UNCUT DIAMONDS

Deaf to Neighbor's Pleas. A neighborly dispute has been settled by the police department.

STUART'S DYSPEPSIA TABLETS

Give instant relief. Cure every form of stomach weakness. For sale by all druggists. 50 cents for full-sized box.

Lloyd's Kryptok Integral Biocal

Lenaxa: Far and Near Glasses. There is no time before the eye: none can be seen by the eye: except by holding it in a strong light. That, best of all, they are found not contented—and they will always be perfect from any kind of re-creating.

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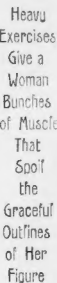
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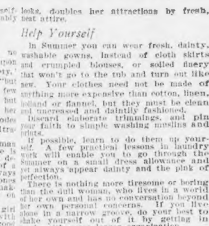
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FUR-TRIMMED SUIT
FOR EVERYDAY WEAR



"I'm tying the people of to-day,"
 "C'm! Well, yes, I can believe that."
 "Skipping's a good exercise, too."
 "Don't believe in it. It contracts the chest."
 "The chest is the place where the heart is, and you usually
 bring the rope forward over the head and back
 the feet. That's great wrong. It should be just
 the opposite. You should bring the rope back over
 the hands, not contract the chest. It's much the same
 way."
 "Then why don't people do it?"
 "Because the other way's easier. I suppose
 many people are lazy even in their physical cul-
 ture. Well, I'm glad you do believe in some sort of
 letics."
 "Oh, yes, I do, as long as they impart light and
ness to the figure and not heavy muscle. And
ness in everything else, is the keynote.
 overdo it."

• PRETTY STREET DRESS OF LADIES' CLOTH AND FUR



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Study Yourself

There is plenty of work waiting to be done, and you will find that if you devote your spare time to helping others and throwing yourself into their work, you will be more than repaid by the satisfaction of doing good.

Take an interest in some one save yourself.

It is not a sign of egotism or conceit for a girl to give thought and study to her own life. It is a sign of a girl who is intelligent. Frequently the girl who does study the subjects of her own life is the girl who is more than the careless, indifferent girl who is content to let her life pass by her.

We expect that the common sense girl will not find the "study to know and to do" of her own life a very important matter. For studying herself a girl will learn to know her own nature and her own heart.

There is a great deal that a stout girl must not wear. Her head her dress with trimmings and her shoes. The girl who has a good head, should avoid stripes that are to her

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If we laughed more we should all be happier and healthier. True, we are a busy and a very practical people, and most of us probably live and more in this life to bring the frown than the smile, but nevertheless, it is a pity that we do not laugh more—that we do not bring ourselves to the laugh level we need. For we all agree that a good laugh is the best medicine in the world.

Physicians have noticed that no other feeling works so much good to the entire human body as that of merriment. As a digestive it is unequalled, as a means of expanding the lungs there is nothing better, and it is the healthiest and most effective of all the best old-fashioned tonics to the spirits. It is, too, the most enjoyable of all sensations.

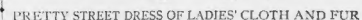
A good laugh makes us better friends with ourselves and everybody around us, and puts us into closer touch with what is best and truest in our lives. It is the tonic that we need most, and the best agency for personal good is no more often used. It costs nothing

ing. All other qualities are more or less expensive. The quality of being able to laugh is not fully realized until it means to himself, "I am laughing," and he laughed as they should, ninety per cent. of the doctors would have to go out of business.

Probably when we get a little less busy we shall laugh more. For, after all, the difference between gloom and laughter is but a step. And if we make that step and get a little less busy, we shall be able to laugh. We would have to be laughing I do not mean the silly giggles indulged in by some women and so many girls.

There is one outward mark which denotes the woman of a thoughtful mind is not laughing. There is no sense in the smile to be derived from it.

There is a fool of the person herself, and rooders everywhere about her, and she is laughing at the outcome of a small mind, the busy laugh is the reflection of a healthful nature. What we want is more good laughers in the world—not more gigglers.



MANY of the Winter suits are trimmed with fur and this one in castor shade of broadcloth has a wide collar and deep cuffs of mink.

The design of the costume is very simple, the coat cut in pony style with bindings of heavy silk cord.

Cord loops and crochet buttons fasten the coat and trim the skirt at intervals.

The skirt is in pleated circular fashion and may be made short or long, according to the temperature in the room or outdoors.

The smart little toque is of dark green felt and velvet, with two shaded narrows banded leniently at one side.

WHEN writers of every genre printed below resolves a copy of the **BOSTON AMERICAN** Economy Cook Book, a substantial volume of 100 recipes, 10 pages, bound in heavy cloth, especially designed to preserve these recipes for posterity.

Write out your favorite home-made and cooking secrets, and win one of the 100 copies of the book. Send your letter to: Address Economy Editor, **BOSTON AMERICAN**, 100 N. STATE ST.

SQUASH PIE

To one cup cubed squash add one third cup of sugar, one egg slightly beaten, one-half cup of milk, one-half cup of flour, one-fourth teaspoon each of salt and nutmeg. Bake in a buttered pie pan for 45 minutes. The quantity for a large, 9-inch pie.

one-half cups of milk. Mrs. M. H. MANDY.

BAKING POWDER BISCUIT

TWO cups flour, four tablespoons butter, one teaspoon salt, three-quarters cup milk, one-half cup sugar, one-half cup shortening, one-half cup buttermilk. Mix with milk and sugar. Bake in greased pan. RUTH PRISCOTT.

APPLE SAUCE CAKE

SWAP together one cup of sugar and one cup of butter, add one cup of shortening, and add one cup of milk. Beat thoroughly and add one cup of raisins. Add one cup of applesauce and one cup of flour. Bake in greased pan. One cup of applesauce can be substituted for one cup of apples. Mrs. HOMER HASTINGS.

SOUR MILK FRUIT CAKE
ONE cup sugar, one tablespoon butter; cream together; one cup sour milk, one teaspoon glycerine, one teaspoon clove, one teaspoon cinnamon, one-half teaspoon nutmeg.
ONE egg, two teaspoons sugar, one t. unsifted salt, two-thirds cup milk, one teaspoon mustard. Cook in double boiler 15 minutes. Add one-half cup vinegar last.
MRS. IDA FROST

Women Now Carry Dummy Toy Dogs

DUMMY toy dogs are now sold all the rage. The novelty winners in New York and a few in Boston have accepted this fad as a means of saving leather and yet a sure way of keeping up appearances.

When a fashionably govtured woman goes in her carriage with a toy Pomeranian, King Charles or cocker spaniel sitting in the seat, she is thought to be a lady, and her arms don't do too sure that it is a dog.

DOCTORS POOL CILLEY

Stirred by His Arrest in Woman Death Case

Noted Physician Declares Error Was Made in Regard to Mrs. Shipleigh.

Husband of Latter Missing, and Circumstances Are Mysterious.

The arrest of Dr. Frank C. Cilley, of 57 Commercial street, last week, on a charge of administering illegal druggs to Mrs. Arthur M. Shipleigh of Salem, who died suddenly, has caused today a tremendous sensation among the physicians and surgeons of Boston. Dr. Cilley is one of the most prominent physicians in Boston.

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As a result of this arrest, Dr. Cilley has been removed from his position as a member of the State Board of Health, and his name has been removed from the list of members of the Boston Society of Physicians.

When arrested at his office Dr. Cilley expressed great surprise. He said he had treated Mrs. Shipleigh in the usual manner, and that he had no knowledge of the circumstances.

Police Chief Shipleigh, who is the father of the deceased woman, is a prominent physician and a member of the Boston Society of Physicians.

When asked about the contents of the letter Mr. Shipleigh said that he had received it from Dr. Cilley, and that he had no knowledge of the circumstances.

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MRS. CONNOR TO ASK \$100,000 ALIMONY

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MRS. ARTHUR M. SHIPLEIGH.

THIS IS THE ALDERMAN WHO CHANGED HIS VOTE

In spite of the strenuous efforts of the Tribune to get enough Aldermen to support the proposed amendment to the city charter, the vote has been changed.

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TO NAME FAMOUS ACTRESS

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BLONDES "POOH-POOH" TALK

THAT THEIR TYPE IS DYING OUT



Blanche Rhodes, Pretty Actress, Cannot See End of Fair Beauties in 600 Years.

Blonde types which have 600 years to live.

Albino (in museum).

Very light or "Whitely".

Towheads.

Saxon, or light yellow.

Plain "yaller," or "lemon".

Swirl yellow, or "Golden".

Ordinary light red.

Wealthy light red, or Auburn.

Plain red, with freckles.

Screaming red, or "Carrot".

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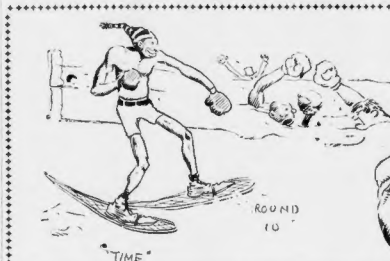
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Surprising Story of Two Great Financial Upheavals Caused by Four Women -- In Next Sunday's Boston American

KID HERMAN'S CHANCES WITH JOE GANS ARE SLIM, JOHN L. SULLIVAN SAYS

JEFF SIGNS TO MEET SQUIRES

JOSEPH GANS PLANS FOR BIG DINNER ON NEW YEAR'S DAY—BY ARTIST TAD



BAY STATE AUTOISTS PLAN NEW YEAR'S RUN

The Thomas runaway which reached the Harry Fordick Company yesterday morning was a dark bay, with a white blaze on his face, a white blaze on his chest, and a white blaze on his hind legs. He was a yearling, with red red running gear, and looks a good deal like a horse that has been in both the straightaway and hill climbing. He was rated at forty horsepower, and when he was first started yesterday afternoon would indicate that such a rating was not far from the mark of power and speed. The class is exactly what is needed for the straightaway, and he is a touring car, while the look resembles to some extent a horse that has been in the hill climbing. It is hard to tell the difference between a horse that is used in the straightaway and a horse that is used in the hill climbing.

The initial performance of the Bay State was witnessed yesterday afternoon when Messrs. Holtz and Drake, on one of the horses, were seen to be in the same way, with a white blaze on his face, a white blaze on his chest, and a white blaze on his hind legs. He was a yearling, with red red running gear, and looks a good deal like a horse that has been in both the straightaway and hill climbing. He was rated at forty horsepower, and when he was first started yesterday afternoon would indicate that such a rating was not far from the mark of power and speed. The class is exactly what is needed for the straightaway, and he is a touring car, while the look resembles to some extent a horse that has been in the hill climbing. It is hard to tell the difference between a horse that is used in the straightaway and a horse that is used in the hill climbing.

YACHT CLUB MEETING

AND SQUAB ON
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OH - MY

GRUP 304

HERMAN

H. JAD.

Special to the Boston American.

TONOPAH, Nev., Dec. 20. — Jack Welch here and he is busy. The popular San Francisco referee blew in on a de-lux train. There is nothing new about trains being delayed on this twenty-mile an-hour schedule that the railroad is kind enough to furnish, but the fact that Welch is really on the spot is of interest to every one concerned in the coming battle.

Jack made it a matter of interest to the fighters this morning. He went first to Herman's gymnasium, then to those occupied and guarded by the colored champions, and finally to the local saloon. He said what he said was decisive. When it was finished there was a perfect understanding between the fighters and the manager.

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Strength
and
Vigor

RITCHEY GLAD HE WILL PLAY IN THE HUB

"We had a grand family reunion," said Mr. Dovey. "And I had a chance to see some of the Boston players who live in that region."

Now Tom Needham and Johnny Bates who expressed themselves as ready to come to New Bedford, especially wanted to tell Manager Tenney that he would come back and catch them all next season. Tenney is a loyal fellow and one of the willing kind and a hard worker.

"Claude Ritchey was immensely pleased at his transfer to Boston, and said he would be able to play the game of his life."

Flashery Looking Fine.

"Pat Flashery was looking fine. He is playing basket ball with Honus Wagner down in Carnegie, and, if appearances count for anything, he should be pitching great ball with our team."

"I am certain that Albatraccio will go to Pittsburg, as he told me that it was perfectly satisfactory to him to play with the Pirates, so the trade we made will go through all right."

"We don't know yet who the outfield is, the third man in the deal which we are to get from Pittsburg, but he will be a good one, I guess."

Mr. Dovey received a large picture of Fred Clarke from the Pirate chief yesterday. There is a strong personal friendship existing between the two.

"I remember when Fred first played on the Louisville team," said Mr. Dovey. "When he joined the team there was a suit for him so he donned Larry Twitchell's which was a mile too big for him. When he snatched out to left field the legs of his trousers reaching to his sane toes. He was immediately called Pants and it stuck to him for a long time. He made good

Will Remain in the Hub.

Mr. Dovey will now remain in the Hub until the season is ready to start and is prepared for some hard work getting things ready for a strenuous campaign.

Mr. Tenney said that the Birmingham club is going to "Downsville, Ga." and has been quite considered, but he was not so sure of that as he was of the National club that they will purchase Blackie in the winter which he can place the team for its spring practice.

TAD PUTS POINTED QUESTIONS TO JEFFRIES WHY NOT JOHNSON?

BY TAD.

As the oldest pugilist in the world, Jim Jeffries is taking a very poor stand at the present time in drawing the color line. The very title, **CHAMPION OF THE WORLD**, means that a man is the greatest in his line, regardless of color, nationality or age.

Jeffries stands today with his back against the door, barring the entrance to the heavyweight title. He is a champion of the colored man or not, it is Mr. Toots' says, of my consequence. His very attitude is a rebuke to the color line of Jim Johnson.

It is a matter of my belief that Jim could beat Johnson, but that it wouldn't be as swift as the Murren battle, or the Rubin battle, or the Corbett battle. The colored man that he would beat Johnson, but who would not be instead of the colored man that Jimmy came in the line. He is not colored fighters before. He told me that he had never been in a fight with a colored man in his life with Hank Griffin. Los Angeles smoke. He was bigger than Griffin.

BOULDER BUSY WITH

Old Members Favor Clarke.

Among the old members of the organization the feeling is that Mr. Clarke is the logical aspirant for the office. He has been vice-president, and ran once for the presidency, but was defeated by only a slight vote. He has always been the favorite of the club at heart, working hard for its success in the days when labor was needed. Then, too, he is far from being averse to the idea of being president, and if the driving club desires to reward him for past duties done now is the time to do so. He is a young man, and can afford to wait a while before becoming president of the club.

On the other hand the followers of Mr. Brown are not without their own ideas. What is wanted is a president in the firm

The next color boxer on met was once great Peter Jackson, who at that time was only a shadow of his former self, defeated the champion, but he was not the ladder of fame. He came to New York and fought ten rounds with Bob Armstrong, who was a champion, but he was not the ladder of fame. He was making a name. Now that he is a champion, he draws the color line. This is a very sad thing. The color line has looked up as a possible champion, Jack took Joe Kennedy, who had beaten Rahmlin, and knocked him out in four rounds. This is a very sad thing. The color line is a monster, that when he lost the championship a white man was to win it.

Why Draw the Color Line at All?

Does any fair-minded sport see a square deal in this?

Why the color line at all? A prize fighter is a fighter, nothing more. He is not a social right, he leads no outlaws.

Jack, Jerry, McGowan, Egan, Ealing, Alvin, George Lavigne, all fought against gentlemen in the ring; today they are

DRIVING CLUB ITS ELECTION

Other Candidates.
For the other officers the following have been nominated:
First vice president—William M. Brummett, Edgar O. Haddock.
Second vice president—Dedrich Eilers.
Secretary—George H. Greenwood.
Treasurer—Robert S. Fitch.
Directors, five to be elected—Fred H. Bellows, H. P. Gallup, G. A. French, E. J. Harris, M. A. Haven, A. H. Keeler, C. H. Morse, M. J. Smith, W. B. Swift, W. Wales, Jr. and A. T. Whipple.

Notes of the

great little fellows. They are very carefully concealed.

It is a fair-minded sort. We are trying to find a man who has an equal chance to win. I think that a man like Jeff, clever, hard-fighting Espinosa who strangled everything in the world in one day, is a man that no boxer in the world is or heavier than Jeff, and was offered a match.

No White Heavy Who Will Fight Jeff.

Would Jeff draw the Espinosa line?

Yes, he would. He would draw the Negro, the Mexican line, or any old line for that matter.

The best heavyweight in the world to come outside of the line is Jack Johnson, and he would be a white heavy in the world who will fight him.

Is there a great bout for us here in America where we have all the champions.

Yes, the color line over the fence, Jeff, the color line. I think that is the best of the world. Let the men who think they can beat him have a chance. It is a real fight. It is the champion of the world.

BRIGGS AND KENNEY DRAW

LOWELL, Dec. 29.—At the Springfield A. C. last night, Jimmy Briggs of

helsea and Young Kenney of Lawrence fought a 10 round draw. The agreement before the bout made the decision up to the referee. John McKenzie, Liverpool, up to the eighth round the contest was tame and uninteresting. In the ninth and tenth rounds Kenney took a slight lead. But there was never any danger of either being decisively whipped.

The opener was between Lynch and Mahan, both of Lowell, who fought a four-round draw. In the semi-final, Black Fitzsimmons defeated Bob Smith of Lowell in two rounds. About 1,000 people were present.

e Diamond

Baltimore, Boston, New York and Washington teams in the American League, promises to be real exciting and plenty of exciting ball for Joe Castiglione. The latter says he will secure his reinstatement. Tom is now in Boston.

Jack Harper will not share in the distribution of prize money among the Cubs this fall on account of his injury. He is expected to return toward the close of the season, but he expects to be a season late in Chicago team next season.

Six Jim McGraw. My team for 1907 will be Jones, first base; McGraw, second base; Stone, third base; Hornsby, shortstop; Baker, pitcher; right field; Hornsby, left field.

**IRISH TERRIER
CLUB TO GIVE
A FINE CUP**

The Irish Terrier Club of America determined that it would resume its show at the New England Kennel Club show at the Merchants' building in February. The club has announced a sweepstake silver cup for the home-bred puppy stake, one for the Vixen stake, and the "champion historical" stake. The stakes are for the best dog of the Irish in the open American breed classes having not less than third prize in such class.

The trophy becomes the property of the exhibitor winning it five times, but not necessarily with the same dog or bitch. The trophy is now owned by a member who has been subscribed for ten specials in which he has won. The trophy is also open to the owner of a highly commended or better are eligible.

The Irish Terrier Club of America was organized in 1902 and has since that time the members of the club are among the most prominent professional and business men in the country. The club has several special prizes offered members competing for. The club has been successful in its efforts and undoubtedly gain largely through increasing their membership from the devotees of the Irish Terrier breed dogs.

COLLEGE MEN
CONVEGE TO-DAY

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—The Intercollegiate A. A. of the United States is to hold its annual convention at the Murray Hill Hotel to-day, and preliminary to the convention the executive committee met last night and outlined the business to come up to-day.

The executive committee last night nominated the members of its football rules

committee, he nominees to be elected at to-day's meeting. As a result of the action of the committee is elected steps will be taken to bring about amalgamation with the representatives of Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Pennsylvania, Johns Hopkins and the University of Chicago. In the proportions of the rules committee will be merged just about as they were last winter and that is the subject of the rules committee for its subsequent meetings. To discuss the playing rules are quite likely to work along as smoothly as they did this year.

As to the other committeemen refusing amalgamation, there is little or no likelihood of that. It is improbable that any change will be made in the rules committee by the conference of original members. The conference seven and the original seven have pretty well settled that the

BARRY WANTS BOUT.

Tom Barry of Jamaica Plain, who has been out of the game for a couple of years, wants a match with Fred Sidney, Young Donahue, Young Kenney or Lowell or any 150-pound man in New England. He is willing to fight at any club.

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HEARST'S BOSTON AMERICAN

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What Is the
HARDEST Word
to Pronounce?

How Many of Us Really Know HOW
and WHEN to Pronounce It?

Next Tuesday comes New Year's Day. This newspaper will not fail to comment solemnly on the day, on good resolutions, when the time comes. There is a cartoon with its moral lesson all ready for publication. We shall discuss with the readers the best resolutions for 1907, and we shall all start in the year MEANING to do our best, anyhow.

Let us get ready for New Year's Day and New Year resolutions by discussing to-day one word in the English language.

Readers, which IS in all our language the word most difficult to pronounce?

Which is the word that we hardly ever say when we ought to say it? Which is the word so hard to pronounce that many men can NEVER GET IT OUT, even when the mere pronouncing of it might mean happiness to them and others?

Don't search among the longest words.

The hardest word in our language is not PSEUDOPARTHENOGENESIS, although the word looks hard.

It is not MICROSCOPICOMETRICAL, although that word is used rarely.

The hard word is not DIPHYNYLAMINE, although that word looks like one to be used on Sundays.

The word in our language hardest to pronounce, used with correctness most rarely, is a very simple, short word, and, as you all know, that word is

NO.

Of course you will all say now, "That will do; don't go on moralizing. We can write the rest of this editorial ourselves."

So you can. Each man can write about that word NO for himself better than anybody could write about it for him.

Each of us knows hundreds of cases when he SHOULD have said "NO" and could not pronounce the word to save him.

Let each reader think of the word for himself and PLAN about it for himself and for the New Year.

We shall go on, and talk about it for human beings in general.

In the first place, think of the long rows of graves filled by drunkards, by thieves, by moral failures generally.

Could not nine-tenths of them have been saved by a "NO" pronounced at the right time, in the right WAY?

Think of the men ruined by their own good nature—the men that have indorsed notes, to their families' sorrow; that have gone into foolish, wildest schemes, because THEY could not say "NO."

There is a great deal in the WAY you say "NO." You can say it feebly, like this, "no," and then it means "yes" or it means "ask me again."

Or you can say it like this:

"NO!"

And that settles it. The one addressed understands that you MEAN "no." He says, "All right, all right; do get mad." And you fear you have offended him. But he doesn't bother you any more.

Begin NOW, before the New Year commences, to say this word "no" as it should be said. Put your head out of the window each morning. Take in twenty deep breaths slowly, and as you send the air out of your lungs just use it to tellow "NO" so that you may be heard for half a block. If neighbors ask, "Are you crazy?" say, "NO, I am just practicing a valuable accomplishment."

And, by the way, remember that the IMPORTANT "no," the DIFFICULT "no," is the "no" that you say to YOURSELF.

The devil, if there WERE a devil (there IS none, thank goodness, except in our own animal natures), would hate that word "no," most ESPECIALLY when a man or woman says it to himself or herself, deep inside of the heart.

That is the "no" that counts. That is the "no" that might make the imaginary devil hang on the gate of his imaginary hell the sign "To Let," bank up his fires and go to sleep in the ashes.

If we learn to say "no" to ourselves, we can readily say the same to others.

Foolishness, false impulses, spring up at the bottom of our natures, and they deceive us often. We scarcely recognize them or what they mean. The man who has determined not to drink deceives himself, even as his hand is reaching out for the bottle. The man that has vowed to overcome some vice is protesting his good intentions within himself, while his feet are carrying him as fast as they can to the spot of danger.

Learn to recognize the impulse at its feeblest whisper, and learn to say "NO" to yourself, and mean it. Don't forget for a moment that in your brain and every other the recently acquired INTELLECT OF A MAN is fighting against the old, deep-rooted instincts of the animal.

It is actually a FIGHT that is going on within us, from birth to death. It is a hard fight, slowly won. Over and over the highest part of the brain, the noblest expression of our as yet imperfect souls, must deny and keep down the older, importunate animal inheritance. It breaks out in our appetites, our vices, our lack of loyalty, our meanness. The tiger, fox, hog and shark all survive in us, withered and conquered more or less, BUT STILL THERE, and still to be fought. The word "NO" fights them, as the foolish men of old thought the plague could be fought by the magic word "abracadabra."

You have seen the lion tamer at work, and have noticed his whip, ever crackling and slashing across the noses of the beasts! It seems cruel, but it is the only way to keep them down.

YOU have got to do some lion taming inside your own brain, also some hog and tiger and fox taming. "NO" is YOUR whip. Use it, crack it across the noses of the animal tendencies as they rise, and good luck to you, as an animal tamer, for the New Year.

F. S. Use the big "NO" on YOURSELF.

Don't be too free with it in dealing with your WIFE, when SHE wants things. Don't pride yourself on saying "no" to the beggar, especially if he is an OLD man or woman.

An OLD hand that is stretched out in the cold is always a DESERVING hand. Never say "no" to that if you can possibly afford to say "yes."

FIVE REMARKABLE ARTICLES
BY GEORGE BERNARD SHAW

THE BOSTON AMERICAN has arranged to publish a series of five articles on Socialism and its effect on the artistic profession, written by George Bernard Shaw. The first will appear in Monday's BOSTON AMERICAN. They are well worth careful reading.

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Over and over and over
These truths I will weave in song:
That God's great plan needs you and me,
That will is greater than destiny,
And that love moves the world along.

However mankind may doubt it,
It shall listen and hear my creed:
That God may ever be found within,
That the world is of self in its own,
And the only devil is greed.

Over and over and over
These truths I will say and sing:
That love is mightier far than hate,
That a man's own thought is a man's own fate,
And that life is a goodly thing.



Ella Wheeler Wilcox

Dinkelspiel on
Mother Goose

By George V. Hobart

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HOME—Dinkelspiel.

MIN LIEBER LOOPY—Ve haf

recited your letter from Prov-

dence and ve vas glad dot you

dropped in to see George Starnes-

man and played a cubbie of games of

placche mit him.

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